

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Richard A. Dayan, *et al.*

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Title: System And Method To Reduce Disk  
Access Time During Predictable  
Loading Sequences

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 5, 2006

Dear Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action dated October 5, 2006 (hereafter "the Office Action"). Claims 1-20 are in the case. Applicants acknowledge with thanks the telephone conversation with Examiner Patel on December 12, 2006. In accordance with that telephone conversation, Applicants present the following amendment and remarks demonstrating that the case is in condition for allowance.

## AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

There are no amendments to the Drawings in this paper.

There are no amendments to the Specification in this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.